

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

APPELLATE SIDE

WRIT PETITION NO.3013 OF 2005

Shri Bhimrao Pandu Khot & Ors. : Petitioners

V/s.

Shri Bhimrao Krishna Khot (Kadam) & Ors. : Respondents

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Mr.R.V.More for the petitioners.

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CORAM : S.A. BOBDE, J.

June 14, 2005.

P.C.:

1. This petition is directed against the order of the appellate Court granting status quo.

2. Mr.More, learned counsel for the petitioners, submits that status quo was granted in favour of the respondents in spite of the fact that the suit was dismissed. There is no doubt about the power of the appellate Court to grant such a status quo pending decision on exh.5. However, having regard to the apprehension of delay expressed by the petitioners, the appellate Court is directed to dispose of the Regular Civil Appeal, as expeditiously as possible, and in any case, exh.5 within a period of three months from the date the appellate Court receives the writ of this Court.

3. The Writ Petition is disposed of. Sd/-

